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C O N F I D E N T I A L SAIGON 19942

AID FOR AA/SA

E.O. 11652: GDS

SUBJ: CAMBODIAN RICE NEEDS

REF: PHNOM PENH 12891

1. REFER TO SHIPPING DATA PARA 3 REFTEL. TONNAGE TRANSHIPPED FROM NEW KEELUNG WAS 4729.32 NET METRIC TONS, AND ENDURANCE 1395.36 NET METRIC TONS FOR TOTAL 6124.68 NET TONS. THE BONANZA LOADED AS FOLLOWS: GVN LOAN 26 OCTOBER RESIDUAL 33.66 NET TONS, NEW KEELUNG 904.62 NET TONS (IN 60 KILO BAGS), ENDURANCE 447 NET TONS, NEW GVN LOAN 261.9 TONS.

2. PLAN FOLLOWING LOADINGS TO ARRIVE PHNOM PENH DECEMBER:

REF PARA 4 REFTEL:

CARRIER	SAILING DATE	SOURCE	NET M/T
BATTY C-1	DECEMBER 1	VN	950
BATTY C-2	DECEMBER 1	VN	950

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PACIFIC UNION DECEMBER 1 VN 1300

WING PENG	DECEMBER 1	VN	1800
TCS 201-66	DECEMBER 1	SONG DO	1900
LUZON 1961	DECEMBER 9	SONG DO	1700
LUZON 1962	DECEMBER 9	SONG DO	1700
TCS 201-67	DECEMBER 9	LUCKY STAR	950
TCS 201-67	DECEMBER 9	VN	950
DAI DUONG	DECEMBER 17	BRIGHTON LYKES	2300
HAYAN	DECEMBER 17	BRIGHTON LYKES	2000
LUZON 1960	DECEMBER 16	VN	1700
LUZON 1964	DECEMBER 17	VN	1700
PORT SUN #1	DECEMBER 25	LESLIE LYKES	1800
BONANZA III	DECEMBER 25	LESLIE LYKES	1800
BATTY C-1	DECEMBER 25	LESLIE LYKES	950
BATTY C-2	DECEMBER 25	LESLIE LYKES	450
BATTY C-2	DECEMBER 25	VN	500
PACIFIC UNION	DECEMBER 25	VN	1300
WING PENG	DECEMBER 25	VN	1800
TCS 201-66	DECEMBER 25	VN	1900

3. ABOVE SCHEDULE PREDICATED UPON CONTINUED AVAILABILITY OF SHIPS PRESENTLY ON CONSECUTIVE VOYAGE CHARTERS. AVAILABILITY OF FUEL MAY CREATE PROBLEMS. OWNER S/S EVERGLORY HAD TO WITHDRAW FROM SECOND VOYAGE AS ESSO WOULD NOT HONOR RECIPROCAL BUNKERING ARRANGEMENT FOR THEIR CONTRACT WITH BRITISH PETROLEUM. INCREASED COST OF BUNKERS THROUGHOUT FAR EAST HAS ALSO CREATED SOME PROBLEMS. NOTE THAT SAIGON CAN HANDLE TRANSSHIPMENT FROM BRIGHTON AND LESLIE LYKES IF DIVERSION APPROVED AS REQUESTED PARA 4 REFTEL.

4. HAVE EXPERIENCED TEMPORARY SLOW-DOWN OF TRUCKING CAUSED BY RECENTLY INCREASED FUEL PRICES IN SAIGON AND ENFORCEMENT OF TRUCK WEIGHING BY GVN. IT NOW TAKES TWO TRUCKS TO CARRY TEN TONS INSTEAD OF ONE.

5. FOR AID/W. REQUEST BEST ETA PHILIPPINE BEAR FOR OUR PLANNING PURPOSES.

6. REQUEST NO REPEAT NO PUBLICITY BE GIVEN TO LATEST GVN LOAN OF 15,000 TONS OF PL480 RICE.

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